## **DLA Hosts DOD Combating Trafficking In Persons Conference**

The Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness Dr. David S. C. Chu was designated by the secretary of defense to ensure all members of the Defense Department are aware of the Trafficking In Persons phenomenon. OSD P&R held an annual conference, co-sponsored by the Defense Logistic Agency, to provide information on combating trafficking in persons July 15 and 16. Chu was the keynote speaker. Federal agencies from the departments of Justice, State, Homeland Security, Health and Human Services, and the U.S. Agency for International Development briefed DOD members on their agencies' CTIP mission. Several non-governmental and faith based organizations briefed on their research and CTIP initiatives, as well.

CTIP training is mandatory for all employees as mandated by DOD Instruction 2200.01 Combating Trafficking in Persons. CTIP General Awareness Training modules have been available online since 2005 and the CTIP Leadership Training modules were developed and placed for distribution in April. Law Enforcement modules are under development for release this summer. For DLA employees, the CTIP training is available via the Learning Management System. Contact Michael Jenkins at michael.jenkins@dla.mil with any questions.

